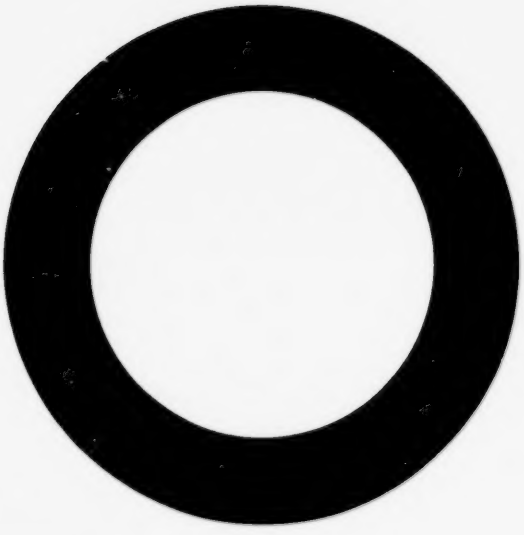

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Security Council

Informal Working Group on International Tribunals

3 p.m. Closed meeting — Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building)

General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session

There will be an informal meeting of the plenary *today*, 1 December 2010, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB), to discuss the scope of the review of the status of the Human Rights Council. Member States are encouraged to attend at the ambassadorial level. A letter from the co-facilitators, dated 23 November 2010, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session

There will be informal "informal" consultations on the scope, modalities, format and organization of the high-level meeting on the prevention and control of non-communicable diseases *today*, 1 December 2010, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB). A letter from the co-facilitators, dated 29 November 2010, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers

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Security Council

The President of the Security Council for the month of December 2010 (United States) will provide a briefing for Member States of the United Nations which are non-members of the Council on the programme of work for the month, on Thursday, 2 December 2010, at 11 a.m. in Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building).

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

Informal informal consultations on the modalities and organizational arrangements for the comprehensive HIV/AIDS review in 2011 will take place on Thursday, 2 December 2010, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

There will be an informal meeting (closed) of the plenary on Friday, 3 December 2010, at 10 a.m., to hear a briefing by the Secretary-General on the situation in Haiti. The venue will be announced as soon as it is confirmed. Member States are encouraged to attend at the ambassadorial level.

Survey of Conference Services

The Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) invites delegations to complete the *Survey of Conference Services* to help improve the quality of its services. The survey is accessible until Monday, 13 December 2010, from the following Web sites: DGACM <www.un.org/Depts/DGACM>; General Assembly <www.un.org/ga/>; Main Committees <www.un.org/ga/maincommittees.shtml>; Committees QuickPlace; deleGATE (iSeek page for Member States) <www.un.int/wcm/content/site/portal>; and eMeets <http://emeets.un.org/dgacm/dgacmforum.nsf/surveye.html>. The Under-Secretary-General for General Assembly and Conference Management would greatly appreciate the assistance of delegations in completing the Survey.

General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session

Since the programme of work of plenary meetings (A/INF/65/3) was issued, the following changes have been made:

Consideration of agenda item 69 and its sub-items (a) to (d) (Strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian and disaster relief assistance of the United Nations, including special economic assistance) has been postponed to a later date to be announced;

A specific meeting focused on development under agenda item 115 (Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit) has been postponed to a date in the resumed part to be announced;

Consideration of agenda item 117 (Implementation of the resolutions of the United Nations) and agenda item 118 (Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly), scheduled for Thursday, 2 December 2010, has been postponed to Monday, 6 December 2010;

Consideration of agenda item 32 (The role of diamonds in fuelling conflict), scheduled for Thursday, 2 December 2010, has been postponed to a later date to be announced;

Consideration of the reports of the Sixth Committee will take place on Monday, 6 December 2010, at 3 p.m.;

Consideration of the reports of the First Committee will take place on Wednesday, 8 December 2010, at 3 p.m.; and

Consideration of the reports of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) will take place on Friday, 10 December 2010, at 10 a.m.

The dates for the consideration of reports of the Second, Third and Fifth Committees will be announced in the *Journal*, as soon as they are decided.

General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session

Main Committees

Second Committee

3 p.m. . . . . 33rd meeting . . . . . Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)

1. Sustainable development . . . . . [20]

Action on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.32/Rev.1

(a) Implementation of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/65/L.18, A/C.2/65/L.24/Rev.1, A/C.2/65/L.25/Rev.1 and A/C.2/65/L.52

(e) Implementation of the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification in Those Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or Desertification, Particularly in Africa

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/65/L.21 (and programme budget implications; A/C.2/65/L.62) and A/C.2/65/L.65

(f) Convention on Biological Diversity

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/65/L.39 and A/C.2/65/L.67

(g) Report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Environment Programme on its eleventh special session

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/65/L.43 and A/C.2/65/L.71

(i) Harmony with Nature

Action on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.30/Rev.1

2. Globalization and interdependence [22]

(a) Role of the United Nations in promoting development in the context of globalization and interdependence

Action on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.15/Rev.1

(b) Preventing and combating corrupt practices and transfer of assets of illicit origin and returning such assets, in particular to the countries of origin, consistent with the United Nations Convention against Corruption

*Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/65/L.12 and A/C.2/65/L.68**

(c) International migration and development

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/65/L.23 and A/C.2/65/L.69

3. Eradication of poverty and other development issues [24]

(a) Implementation of the Second United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (2008-2017)

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/65/L.38 and A/C.2/65/L.64

(b) Industrial development cooperation

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/65/L.11 and A/C.2/65/L.45/Rev.1

4. Agriculture development and food security [26]

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/65/L.29 and A/C.2/65/L.61

5. Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly [118]

Action on the draft programme of work of the Second Committee for the sixty-sixth session of the General Assembly, as contained in document A/C.2/65/L.72

Action on a draft decision

6. Programme planning [130]

7. Conclusion of the work of the Committee

[Delegations are reminded that the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be submitted, *as soon as possible*, to the Secretary of the Second Committee, Ms. Jennifer de Laurentis (e-mail 2ndcommittee@un.org; room IN-622 or NL-1033). Please note that only scanned copies of note verbales or form A/INF/65/2* will be accepted by e-mail. Information on the work of the Second Committee is available at <www.un.org/en/ga/second/index.shtml>.]

Fifth Committee

10 a.m.–12 noon Informal consultations (closed) Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Informal consultations on:
Agenda item 140 (Administration of Justice (A/65/373, A/65/373/Corr.1, A/65/303, A/65/557, A/65/304, A/C.5/65/9 and A/65/568))

12 noon–1 p.m. Informal consultations (closed) Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Informal consultations on:
Agenda item 129 (Programme budget for the biennium 2010-2011: Conditions of service: judges (A/65/134, A/65/134/Corr.1 and A/65/533))

General Assembly

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 10 (NLB)

3–6 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 10 (NLB)

Executive meeting

Informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

Wednesday, 1 December 2010

General Assembly

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "The role of the United Nations in promoting a new global human order" (under agenda item 16) (convened by the delegation of Guyana)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room D (NLB)

Informal consultations of the draft resolution entitled "Promotion of interreligious and intercultural dialogue, understanding and cooperation for peace" (under agenda item 15) (convened by the delegations of Pakistan and the Philippines)

1.15–2.30 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room A (NLB)

Other meetings

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Group of 77 (integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room E (NLB)

Group of 77 (on Third Committee matters)

11 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room B (NLB)

Group of 77 (on Fifth Committee matters)

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Group of 77 (on matters related to humanitarian assistance)

4–5 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room B (NLB)

African Group (Fifth Committee experts)

1.15–2.30 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room D (NLB)

Inter-Parliamentary Union: Advisory Group on United Nations Affairs

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room E (NLB)

Other activities

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Wednesday, 1 December 2010

Panel discussion on "Youth and the future of Africa: Challenges and opportunities" (on the occasion of the International Year of Youth) (organized by the Office of the Special Adviser on Africa (OSAA), in collaboration with the Division for Social Policy and Development, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA), and the United Nations Inter-Agency Network on Youth Development)

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Mieko Ikegame, OSAA (e-mail ikegame@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9245; room DC1-1226).]

Seminar for practitioners on "Bringing terrorists to justice" (co-organized by the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism and the Counter-Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate)

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please send an e-mail to cted@un.org.]

Press conferences

The schedule below is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at <www.un.org/News/ossg/conf.htm>.

Wednesday, 1 December 2010

Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium

11 a.m. Mr. Robert Vos, Director of the Development Policy and Analysis Division, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA) (to launch the report entitled "World Economic Situation and Prospects 2011")

12 noon Press briefing by the Spokesperson [*Guest*: Mr. Mike Smith, Executive Director, Counter-terrorism Committee Executive Directorate (CTED) (on the issue of "Bringing terrorists to justice")]

Forthcoming official meetings

Security Council

Ad Hoc Working Group on Conflict Prevention and Resolution in Africa
Panel discussion

The Security Council Ad Hoc Working Group on Conflict Prevention and Resolution in Africa will hold an interactive panel discussion on "The partnership between the United Nations and the African Union in supporting security sector reform (SSR) on the continent", on Thursday, 2 December 2010, at 3.30 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB). The interactive meeting is open to non-members of the Security Council.

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

Main Committees

Fifth Committee

The Fifth Committee will hold its 19th meeting on Thursday, 2 December 2010, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB). Informal consultations (closed) will be held following the adjournment of the 19th meeting, and at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

General Assembly

Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East

The Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East will meet on Tuesday, 7 December 2010, at 11 a.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations
Informal briefing

There will be an informal briefing by the Department for Peacekeeping Operations and the Department of Field Support, to members of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations, on security and force protection in United Nations Peacekeeping Operations, the use of modern technology in United Nations peacekeeping operations for surveillance and monitoring, and on risk management, on Thursday, 9 December 2010, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

General Assembly
Security Council

Peacebuilding Commission
Fourth session

Guinea-Bissau, Liberia and Sierra Leone configurations
Joint informal meeting

A joint informal meeting of the Guinea-Bissau, Liberia and Sierra Leone configurations of the Peacebuilding Commission will be held on Friday, 3 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

Economic and Social Council
Informal "informal" consultations

Informal "informal" consultations, convened by the presidency of the Economic and Social Council (Malaysia) and facilitated by Mr. Zahid Rastam, on the draft decision contained in the report of the Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights on its forty-second and forty-third sessions (E/2010/22), will take place on Thursday, 2 December, from 10 to 11.30 a.m. in the Office of the President of the Economic and Social Council (NLB).

Executive Boards of the United Nations Development Programme/United Nations Population Fund and of the United Nations Children's Fund
Joint informal consultation

There will be a joint informal consultation of the Executive Boards of UNDP/UNFPA and of UNICEF on "The road map to an integrated budget: Cost classification and results-based budgeting", on Friday, 3 December 2010, from 3 to 5 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB). Interested delegations are invited to attend.

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme and of the United Nations Population Fund

Informal consultation

The Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme and of the United Nations Population Fund will hold an informal consultation on the evaluation policy of UNDP, on Friday, 10 December 2010, from 10.30 a.m. to 12 noon in Conference Room 7 (NLB). Interested delegations are invited to attend.

Forthcoming informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

General Assembly

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "The role of diamonds in fuelling conflict: Breaking the link between the illicit transaction of rough diamonds and armed conflict as a contribution to prevention and settlement of conflicts" (under agenda item 32) (convened by the delegation of Israel, as Chair of the Kimberley Process)

Thursday, 2 December 2010, from *10 a.m. to 1 p.m.* in Conference Room D (NLB);

Monday, 6 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB); and

Tuesday, 7 December 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

Informal consultations of the draft resolution entitled "Promotion of interreligious and intercultural dialogue, understanding and cooperation for peace" (under agenda item 15) (convened by the delegations of the Philippines and Pakistan)

Friday, 3 December 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB).

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations" (agenda item 69 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Sweden)

Friday, 3 December 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB).

Other forthcoming meetings

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International Criminal Court: Bureau of the Assembly of States Parties

Thursday, 2 December 2010, from 8.45 to 9.30 a.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

Organization of the Islamic Conference: Working Committee on Human Rights and Humanitarian Affairs (at the ambassadorial level)

Thursday, 2 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court (ninth session) (6–10 December)

Monday, 6 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

Asian Group (informal briefing on the work of the Security Council) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Japan, Lebanon and Turkey)

Tuesday, 7 December 2010, from 3 to 4.30 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

Western European and Other States Group (monthly meeting)

Tuesday, 21 December 2010, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

Forthcoming other activities

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2010 Parliamentary Hearing on "Towards economic recovery: Rethinking development, retooling global governance" (co-organized by the Inter-Parliamentary Union and the Office of the President of the General Assembly)

Thursday, 2, and Friday, 3 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. The complete programme is available at <www.ipu.org/splz-e/unga10.htm>. For further information, please contact the Office of the Permanent Observer of the Inter-Parliamentary Union (e-mail ny-office@mail.ipu.org; tel. 1 (212) 557-5880).]

DPI/NGO briefing on "Crossing boundaries: Protecting the rights of migrant women domestic workers" (in observance of International Migrants Day (18 December))

Thursday, 2 December 2010, from 10.15 a.m. to 12.15 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Debi Ou-Yang, DPI (e-mail section1d@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7709).]

Panel discussion on "AIDS and disability: An emerging concern" (on the occasion of World AIDS Day (1 December) and the International Day of Persons with Disability (3 December)) (co-organized by the Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS (UNAIDS), the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA) and the United States Mission)

Thursday, 2 December 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Kelly Thompson, UNAIDS (e-mail thompsonk@unaids.org; tel. 1 (646) 666-8023).]

Round-table discussion on "Educational opportunity: Key to the future" (co-organized by the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA) and the Harvard Project on Disability)

Thursday, 2 December 2010, from 3 to 5 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Akiko Ito, Secretariat for the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, DESA (e-mail ito@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-1996).]

Special events on the occasion of the International Day of Persons with Disability (3 December)

Opening ceremony to launch the commemorative activities of the International Day of Persons with Disabilities (co-organized by the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA) and the World Health Organization (WHO) and co-sponsored by the Permanent Missions of Mexico, the Philippines and the United Republic of Tanzania, and the Global Partnership for Disability and Development)

Friday, 3 December 2010, from 10 to 10.30 a.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

Interactive panel discussion on "Community-based inclusive development: The role of community-based rehabilitation in the realization of the Millennium Development Goals for persons with disabilities" (co-organized by the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA) and the World Health Organization (WHO))

Friday, 3 December 2010, from 10.30 a.m. to 12 noon in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend these events. For further information, please contact Ms. Akiko Ito, Secretariat for the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, DESA (e-mail ito@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-1996).]

Disability Film Festival (organized by the Department of Economic and Social Affairs) <www.un.org/disabilities>

Friday, 3 December 2010, from 12 noon to 4 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Fred Doulton, Secretariat for the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, DESA (e-mail doultonf@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4466).]

Seminar and workshop on community-based rehabilitation guidelines (organized by the World Health Organization (WHO))

Friday, 3 December 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Akiko Ito, Secretariat for the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, DESA (e-mail ito@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-1996).]

Commemorative event on "Food security for all generations, lessons of the past: Remembering those who perished in the Holodomor in Ukraine, 1932-33, and victims of all other artificial famines of the twentieth and twenty-first centuries" (Concert-Requiem) (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Ukraine, the World Federation of Ukrainian Women's Organizations, UNA-USA Council of Organizations and World Information Transfer)

Friday, 3 December 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Alex Shapoval, Permanent Mission of Ukraine (e-mail shapovalalex85@gmail.com; tel. 1 (212) 759-7003).]

Briefing to Member States on "IMF's conditionality" (organized by the Office of the Special Representative of the International Monetary Fund)

Monday, 6 December 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For more information, please contact Ms. Nritya Subramaniam, IMF (e-mail nsubramaniam@imf.org; tel. 1 (212) 355-6347).]

Side events on the occasion of the ninth session of the Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court (6–10 December)

International Criminal Court: Presidency/Chambers — "Reflections of a trial judge at the International Criminal Court"

Monday, 6 December 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building).

International Criminal Court: Registry — "Presentation of the outreach report and public information strategy"

Tuesday, 7 December 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building).

International Criminal Court: Office of the Prosecutor — "Preliminary examination activities"

Wednesday, 8 December 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building).

[All are invited to attend these events. For further information, please send an e-mail to liaisonofficeny@icc-cpi.int.]

Expert panel on "Fertility, reproductive health and development" (organized by the Population Division, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA))

Tuesday, 7 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Natalia Devyatkin, Population Division, DESA (e-mail devyatkin@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-3390).]

UNITAR Continued IT Education (CITE) Project — Information session

Tuesday, 7 December 2010, from 1 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB).

[For further information, please contact Mr. Evan Silberman, UNITAR (e-mail evan.silberman@unitar.org; tel. 1 (917) 512-9457).]

UNITAR/UNOG lecture series on "The impact of the financial crisis on global economic governance" (live broadcast from Geneva by video link)

Wednesday, 8 December 2010, from 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

[For further information, please contact Mr. François Richard, UNITAR (e-mail francois.richard@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196; room DC1-603). To register, please visit <www.unitar.org/ny/event_registration>.]

Panel discussion on the occasion of the International Anti-Corruption Day (9 December) (co-organized by the United Nations Global Compact Office, the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime, the United Nations Development Programme and the Ethics Office)

Thursday, 9 December 2010, from 9 to 11.30 a.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Olajobi Makinwa, United Nations Global Compact Office (e-mail makinwa@un.org); or Ms. Da Woon Chung (e-mail chungd@un.org).]

Briefing on "The impact of the International Criminal Court in Uganda" — Presentation of the report and findings from the visits of the delegates of the Assembly of States Parties (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Argentina, Botswana, Finland and South Africa, HURINET, No Peace Without Justice (NPWJ) and the Uganda Coalition on the International Criminal Court (UCICC))

Friday, 10 December 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Arto Haapea, Permanent Mission of Finland (e-mail arto.haapea@formin.fi; tel. 1 (212) 355-2100).]

UNITAR Seminar on International Trade Law and Policy

Monday, 13 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1.15 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB);

Tuesday, 14 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB);

Wednesday, 15 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB);

Thursday, 16 December 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB); and

Friday, 17 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. To register and for further information, please visit <www.unitar.org/ny>; or contact Mr. François Richard, UNITAR (e-mail francois.richard@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3021; room DC1-603).]

Pre-conference event (in preparation for the Fourth United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries, to be held in Istanbul in 2011) on the thematic area 7 — Enhancing food security through agricultural development and access to food and nutrition (co-organized by the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) and the Office of the High Representative for the Least Developed Countries, Landlocked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States (UN-OHRLLS))

Thursday, 16 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information and to register, please contact the FAO Liaison Office in New York (e-mail lon-registry@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-6036).]

Panel discussion on the occasion of the International Migrants Day and in observance of the twentieth anniversary of the adoption of the International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families (co-organized by the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR), the International Organization for Migration (IOM), the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) and the MacArthur Foundation, in cooperation with the UN-NGO Committee on Migration)

Friday, 17 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. in Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building).

[All are invited to attend. To register or for further information, please visit <www.unitar.org/ny>; or contact Mr. Pierpaolo Capalbo, UNITAR (e-mail pierpaolo.capalbo@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9684; room DC1-603).]

Forthcoming official meetings held away from Headquarters

General Assembly

Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
United Nations Office at Geneva

In accordance with the terms of General Assembly resolution 55/75 (A/RES/55/75), the Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees will convene in Geneva, on Tuesday, 7 December 2010, at 10 a.m. in Room XIX, at the Palais des Nations.

Announcements

E-Subscription: *Let UN documents come to you* <http://undocs.org/>

The Department for General Assembly Affairs and Conference Management has added an alternate way to access United Nations parliamentary documents in a manner that is easy and fast. Through the e-Subscription programme based on RSS (which stands for Really Simple Syndication), the latest documents issued at Headquarters can be accessed readily. It widens the choice for users to receive parliamentary documents and the *Journal of the United Nations* through their computer or hand-held device. The RSS gathers all the documents the user has subscribed to in one place as soon as they are published. Sign-up is free and easy by visiting the e-Subscription page <http://undocs.org/>. An overview of all documents with the options "e-mail" or "RSS" next to each document category is located there, along with a user-friendly technical guide. After sign-up, e-mails will be sent to the subscriber as soon as documents become available. Comments, questions and suggestions are invited to be sent to help-desk@un.org.

Signing of the Tripartite Memorandum of Understanding on the United Nations Standby Arrangements System with Argentina and Chile

H.E. Ms. Nilda Garre, Minister of Defence of Argentina, H.E. Mr. Jaime Ravinet De La Fuente, Minister of Defence of Chile, and Mr. Alain Le Roy, Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations, will sign the Tripartite Memorandum of Understanding on the United Nations Stand-by Arrangements System. The ceremony will take place on Tuesday, 7 December 2010, at 11 a.m. in the Conference Room Hédi Annabi (DC1-1588).

Responsibility of international organizations

Delegations are reminded that the deadline for the submission of comments of Governments on the draft articles on the responsibility of international organizations, as adopted by the International Law Commission, on first reading, at its sixty-first session in 2009 (General Assembly resolution 64/114 of 16 December 2009, operative para. 5 (A/RES/64/114)), is *Saturday, 1 January 2011*.

Delegations may send their comments to the Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (room M-13065; fax 1 (212) 963-1963). In addition, it would be appreciated if an electronic version of the comments could also be sent to ilcweb@un.org.

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Summary of official meetings

Tuesday, 30 November 2010

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

54th plenary meeting

Question of Palestine . . . . . [37]

(a) Report of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People (A/65/35)

(b) Report of the Secretary-General (A/65/380 and A/65/380/Add.1)

(c) Draft resolutions (A/65/L.14, A/65/L.15, A/65/L.16, A/65/L.17 and A/65/L.24)

The General Assembly continued its consideration of agenda item 37.

Statements were made by the representatives of South Africa, Brazil, Morocco, Norway, Qatar, Oman, Viet Nam, Bahrain, Tunisia, Sudan, Sri Lanka, India, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, Algeria, Maldives, Bangladesh, Malaysia, Canada, Nicaragua, the Philippines and Zambia.

55th plenary meeting

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(c) Draft resolutions (A/65/L.14, A/65/L.15, A/65/L.16, A/65/L.17 and A/65/L.24)

The General Assembly continued its consideration of agenda item 37.

The representative of the Syrian Arab Republic made a statement.

The General Assembly was informed that, at the request of the sponsor, action on draft resolution A/65/L.24 had been postponed to a later date to be announced, and that action on draft resolutions A/65/L.14 to A/65/L.17 would be taken immediately after consideration of agenda item 36.

The situation in the Middle East . . . . . [36]

(a) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/65/379, A/65/380 and A/65/380/Add.1)

(b) Draft resolutions (A/65/L.18 and A/65/L.19)

The representative of Egypt made a statement, in the course of which he introduced draft resolutions A/65/L.18 and A/65/L.19.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Syrian Arab Republic, Cuba, Kuwait, Bahrain, the Philippines, the Russian Federation, Pakistan, Switzerland, Qatar, Turkey, India, Jordan, China, Australia, the Islamic Republic of Iran and Japan.

The General Assembly was informed that action on draft resolutions A/65/L.18 and A/65/L.19 would be taken after taking action on draft resolutions A/65/L.14 to A/65/L.17, under agenda item 37.

Question of Palestine: draft resolutions (A/65/L.14, A/65/L.15, A/65/L.16 and A/65/L.17) . . . . . [37]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of agenda item 37.

The representative of the Secretariat announced the additional co-sponsor of draft resolution A/65/L.14.

By 112 votes to 9, with 54 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/65/L.14 (resolution 65/13).

The representative of the Secretariat announced the additional co-sponsors of draft resolution A/65/L.15.

By 110 votes to 9, with 56 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/65/L.15 (resolution 65/14).

The representative of the Secretariat announced the additional co-sponsors of draft resolution A/65/L.16.

By 167 votes to 8, with 2 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/65/L.16 (resolution 65/15).

The representative of the Secretariat announced the additional co-sponsors of draft resolution A/65/L.17.

By 165 votes to 7, with 4 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/65/L.17 (resolution 65/16).

The representative of Japan made a statement on a point of order.

Statements in explanation of vote after the vote were made by the representatives of Israel and the United States.

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 37.

The situation in the Middle East: draft resolutions (A/65/L.18 and A/65/L.19) . . [36]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of agenda item 36.

By 166 votes to 6, with 4 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/65/L.18 (resolution 65/17).

The representative of the Secretariat announced the additional co-sponsors of draft resolution A/65/L.19.

By 118 votes to 7, with 52 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/65/L.19 (resolution 65/18).

Statements in explanation of vote after the vote were made by the representatives of Brazil (also on behalf of Argentina) and the Islamic Republic of Iran.

The representative of the Syrian Arab Republic made a statement.

The observer for Palestine made a statement.

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 36.

Main Committees

Second Committee

32nd meeting

Macroeconomic policy questions: external debt sustainability and development [18 (c)]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/65/L.6 and A/C.2/65/L.59

The Committee was informed that draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.59 contained no programme budget implications.

The representative of Suriname, in his capacity as the facilitator of draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.59, orally corrected the English text of the draft resolution.

The representative of France orally corrected the French text of the draft resolution.

The Committee then adopted draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.59, as orally corrected.

After the adoption of the draft resolution, a statement was made by the Vice-Chair (Finland).

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.59, draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.6 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of sub-item 18 (c) and agenda item 18 as a whole.

Follow-up to and implementation of the outcome of the 2002 International Conference on Financing for Development and the 2008 Review Conference . . . . . [19]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item.

*Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/65/L.7 and A/C.2/65/L.53**

The Committee was informed that draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.53* contained no programme budget implications.

The Committee then adopted the draft resolution.

After the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.53*, a statement was made by the Chair (Finland), in his capacity as the Vice-Chair responsible for the draft resolution.

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.53*, draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.7 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/65/L.37 and A/C.2/65/L.57

The Committee was informed that draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.57 contained no programme budget implications.

The representative of France orally corrected the French text of draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.57.

The Committee then adopted the draft resolution.

After the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.57, a statement was made by the Chair (Finland), in his capacity as the Vice-Chair responsible for the draft resolution.

A statement was also made by the representative of Belgium (on behalf of the European Union).

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.57, draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.37 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the item.

Sustainable development . . . . . [20]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item.

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/65/L.42 and A/C.2/65/L.70

The Committee agreed to the proposal of the Chair to waive rule 120 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly and proceeded to act on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.70.

The Secretary of the Committee read out a statement of programme budget implications in connection with draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.70.

The Committee then adopted the draft resolution.

After the adoption of the draft resolution, a statement was made by the Vice-Chair (Hungary).

Statements were also made by the representatives of Belgium (on behalf of the European Union) and India.

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.70, draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.42 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

(b) Follow-up to and implementation of the Mauritius Strategy for the Further Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/65/L.40 and A/C.2/65/L.60

The Committee agreed to the proposal of the Chair to waive rule 120 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly and proceeded to act on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.60.

The Committee was informed that draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.60 contained no programme budget implications.

The Committee then adopted the draft resolution.

After the adoption of the draft resolution, a statement was made by the Vice-Chair (Hungary).

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.60, draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.40 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of sub-item 20 (b).

(c) International Strategy for Disaster Reduction

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/65/L.27 and A/C.2/65/L.58

The Secretary of the Committee read out a statement of programme budget implications in connection with draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.58.

The Vice-Chair (Hungary) orally corrected draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.58.

The Committee then adopted the draft resolution, as orally corrected.

After the adoption of the draft resolution, a statement was made by the Vice-Chair (Hungary).

A statement was also made by the representative of the United States.

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.58, draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.27 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of sub-item 20 (c).

Implementation of the outcome of the United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat II) and strengthening of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat) . . . . . [21]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item.

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/65/L.36 and A/C.2/65/L.63

The Committee agreed to the proposal of the Chair to waive rule 120 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly and proceeded to act on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.63.

The Committee was informed that draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.63 contained no programme budget implications.

The Vice-Chair (Hungary) orally corrected draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.63.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution, as orally corrected.

After the adoption of the draft resolution, a statement was made by the Vice-Chair (Hungary).

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.63, draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.36 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 21.

Agriculture development and food security . . . . . [26]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item.

Action on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.16

Following a statement by the representative of the Plurinational State of Bolivia, no action was taken on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.16.

Organization of work

A statement was made by the Chair.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance. New York, 20 December 2006

Ratification: Brazil (29 November 2010)[1]

Protocol on Explosive Remnants of War to the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons which may be deemed to be Excessively Injurious or to have Indiscriminate Effects (Protocol V). Geneva, 28 November 2003

Consent to be bound: Panama (29 November 2010)[1]

Convention on Cluster Munitions. Dublin, 30 May 2008

Ratification: Panama (29 November 2010)[1]

[1]Date of receipt of the relevant documents.

General information

Chairs of the regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *December 2010* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

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H.E. Mr. Abderrahim Ould Hadramiu

Asian States:
India
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H.E. Mr. Milorad Šćepanović

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A/65/425	Item 54 — Questions relating to information — Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) [A C E F R S] — *17 pages*
A/65/464	Item 76 — Criminal accountability of United Nations officials and experts on mission — Report of the Sixth Committee [A C E F R S] — *6 pages*
A/65/471	Item 83 — Consideration of effective measures to enhance the protection, security and safety of diplomatic and consular missions and representatives — Report of the Sixth Committee [A C E F R S] — *5 pages*
A/65/475	Item 107 — Measures to eliminate international terrorism — Report of the Sixth Committee [A C E F R S] — *8 pages*
A/65/584	Item 69 (a) — Strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian and disaster relief assistance of the United Nations, including special economic assistance: strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations — Letter dated 12 October 2010 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the General Assembly [A C E F R S] — *4 pages*
	Second Committee
A/C.2/65/L.30/Rev.1	Item 20 (i) — Sustainable development: Harmony with Nature — Bolivia (Plurinational State of), Chile, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Gabon, Georgia, Nepal, Nicaragua, Paraguay, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Seychelles, Syrian Arab

	Republic and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of): revised draft resolution [A C E F R S] — *3 pages*
A/C.2/65/L.60	Item 20 (b) — Sustainable development: follow-up to and implementation of the Mauritius Strategy for the Further Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States — Draft resolution submitted by the Vice-Chair of the Committee, Ms. Csilla Würtz (Hungary), on the basis of informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.40 [A C E F R S] — *4 pages*
A/C.2/65/L.63	Item 21 — Implementation of the outcome of the United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat II) and strengthening of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat) — Draft resolution submitted by the Vice-Chair of the Committee, Ms. Csilla Würtz (Hungary), on the basis of informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.36 [A C E F R S] — *6 pages*
A/C.2/65/L.70	Item 20 — Sustainable development — Draft resolution submitted by the Vice-Chair of the Committee, Ms. Csilla Würtz (Hungary), on the basis of informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.42 — International Year for Sustainable Energy for All [A C E F R S] — *3 pages*
A/C.2/65/L.71	Item 20 (g) — Sustainable development: report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Environment Programme on its eleventh special session — Draft resolution submitted by the Vice-Chair of the Committee, Ms. Csilla Würtz (Hungary), on the basis of informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.43 [A C E F R S] — *6 pages*

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S/2010/597	France: draft resolution [A C E F R S] — *5 pages*
S/2010/600	Twenty-sixth progress report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire [A C E F R S] — *20 pages*
S/2010/606	Report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 6 of resolution 1936 (2010) [A C E F R S] — *13 pages*
S/Agenda/6432	Provisional agenda [A C E F R S] — *1 page*
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E/CN.6/2011/10	Item 5 of the provisional agenda — Follow-up to Economic and Social Council resolutions and decisions — Letter dated 8 November 2010 from the President of the Economic and Social Council to the Chairperson of the Commission on the Status of Women [A C E F R S] — *2 pages*

United Nations Forum on Forests
Ninth session

E/CN.18/2011/3 Item 4 of the provisional agenda — Regional and subregional inputs — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *19 pages*

E/CN.18/2011/11 Item 10 of the provisional agenda — Enhanced cooperation and policy and programme coordination, including the provision of further guidance to the Collaborative Partnership on Forests — Collaborative Partnership on Forests Framework 2009 and 2010 — Information document [A C E F R S] — *13 pages*

E/CN.18/2011/13 Item 11 of the provisional agenda — Means of implementation for sustainable forest management — Report of the first meeting of the Open-ended Intergovernmental Ad Hoc Expert Group on Forest Financing [A C E F R S] — *40 pages*

Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women

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Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women
Forty-ninth session

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Security Council

The President of the Security Council for the month of December 2010 (United States) will provide a briefing for Member States of the United Nations which are non-members of the Council on the programme of work for the month, *today*, 2 December 2010, at 12.30 p.m. in Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building).

The President of the Security Council will also provide a briefing to the press on the programme of work for the month of December, *today*, 2 December 2010, at 1 p.m. in the Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium. Delegations can view the press briefing from the United Nations Webcast <www.un.org/webcast>.

The monthly tentative forecast has been made available on the Web site of the Security Council <www.un.org/sc/>, in accordance with the note by the President of the Security Council dated 26 July 2010 (S/2010/507). Copies of the tentative forecast have been placed in the delegations' boxes and may be collected at the delegations' pick-up areas, as of *today*, 2 December 2010.

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Informal "informal" consultations on the modalities and organizational arrangements for the comprehensive HIV/AIDS review in 2011 will take place *today*, 2 December 2010, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

Security Council

The Security Council Ad Hoc Working Group on Conflict Prevention and Resolution in Africa will hold an interactive panel discussion on "The partnership between the United Nations and the African Union in supporting security sector reform (SSR) on the continent", *today*, 2 December 2010, at 3.30 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB). The interactive meeting is open to non-members of the Security Council.

General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session

There will be an informal meeting (open) of the plenary on Friday, 3 December 2010, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB), to hear a briefing by the Secretary-General on the situation in Haiti. Member States are encouraged to attend at the ambassadorial level. A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 1 December 2010, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

Survey of Conference Services

The Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) invites delegations to complete the *Survey of Conference Services* to help improve the quality of its services. The survey is accessible until Monday, 13 December 2010, from the following Web sites: DGACM <www.un.org/Depts/DGACM>; General Assembly <www.un.org/ga/>; Main Committees <www.un.org/ga/maincommittees.shtml>; Committees QuickPlace; deleGATE (iSeek page for Member States) <www.un.int/wcm/content/site/portal>; and eMeets <http://emeets.un.org/dgacm/dgacmforum.nsf/surveye.html>. The Under-Secretary-General for General Assembly and Conference Management would greatly appreciate the assistance of delegations in completing the Survey.

General Assembly
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Since the programme of work of plenary meetings (A/INF/65/3) was issued, the following changes have been made:

Consideration of agenda item 69 and its sub-items (a) to (d) (Strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian and disaster relief assistance of the United Nations, including special economic assistance) has been postponed to a later date to be announced;

A specific meeting focused on development under agenda item 115 (Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit) has been postponed to a date in the resumed part to be announced;

Consideration of agenda item 117 (Implementation of the resolutions of the United Nations) and agenda item 118 (Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly), scheduled for Thursday, 2 December 2010, has been postponed to Monday, 6 December 2010;

Consideration of agenda item 32 (The role of diamonds in fuelling conflict), scheduled for Thursday, 2 December 2010, has been postponed to a later date to be announced;

Consideration of the reports of the Sixth Committee will take place on Monday, 6 December 2010, at 3 p.m.;

Consideration of the reports of the First Committee will take place on Wednesday, 8 December 2010, at 3 p.m.; and

Consideration of the reports of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) will take place on Friday, 10 December 2010, at 10 a.m.

The dates for the consideration of reports of the Second, Third and Fifth Committees will be announced in the *Journal*, as soon as they are decided.

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Main Committees

Fifth Committee

10 a.m. . . . . 19th meeting . . . . . Conference Room 3 (NLB)

Financing of the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti (A/65/535 and A/65/586) [153]

Introduction and general discussion

Programme budget for the biennium 2010-2011 . . . . . [129]

Revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Human Rights Council at its twelfth, thirteenth, fourteenth and fifteenth sessions (A/65/333, A/65/333/Corr.1, A/65/333/Add.1, A/65/548 and A/65/548/Add.1)

Introduction and general discussion

Morning[1]–1 p.m. . . . . Informal consultations (closed) . . . . . Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Informal consultations on:

Agenda item 153 (Financing of the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti (A/65/535 and A/65/586))

3–6 p.m. . . . . Informal consultations (closed) . . . . . Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Informal consultations on:

Agenda item 134 (Human resources management (A/65/305, A/65/305/Add.1, A/65/305/Add.2, A/65/305/Add.3, A/65/305/Add.4, A/65/350, A/65/350/Add.1, A/65/332, A/65/202, A/65/213, A/64/352, A/64/230, A/64/267, A/65/180, A/64/269, A/65/343, A/64/316, A/65/537, A/64/518, A/65/345 and A/65/345/Add.1))

[1]To be held following the adjournment of the 19th meeting of the Fifth Committee.

General Assembly

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 10 (NLB)

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 10 (NLB)

1. United Nations Environment Programme
2. Executive meeting

Economic and Social Council

Informal "informal" consultations

Informal "informal" consultations, convened by the presidency of the Economic and Social Council (Malaysia) and facilitated by Mr. Zahid Rastam, on the draft decision contained in the report of the Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights on its forty-second and forty-third sessions (E/2010/22), will take place *today*, 2 December, from 10 to 11.30 a.m. in the Office of the President of the Economic and Social Council (NLB).

Informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

Thursday, 2 December 2010

General Assembly

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "The role of diamonds in fuelling conflict: Breaking the link between the illicit transaction of rough diamonds and armed conflict as a contribution to prevention and settlement of conflicts" (under agenda item 32) (convened by the delegation of Israel, as Chair of the Kimberley Process)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room D (NLB)

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "The role of the United Nations in promoting a new global human order" (under agenda item 16) (convened by the delegation of Guyana)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room A (NLB)

Other meetings

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Thursday, 2 December 2010

International Criminal Court: Bureau of the Assembly of States Parties

8.45–9.30 a.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 7 (NLB)

Arab Group (Second Committee experts)

9.30–10.30 a.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room B (NLB)

Organization of the Islamic Conference: Working Committee on Human Rights and Humanitarian Affairs (at the ambassadorial level)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 7 (NLB)

Group of 77 (on Third Committee matters)

11 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room B (NLB)

Group of 77 (on Fifth Committee matters)

1.15–2.30 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Group of 77 (on matters related to humanitarian assistance)

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room B (NLB)

Informal consultations on the omnibus resolution of the Assembly of States Parties of the International Criminal Court (organized by the Permanent Mission of the Democratic Republic of the Congo)

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room D (NLB)

Other activities

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Thursday, 2 December 2010

2010 Parliamentary Hearing on "Towards economic recovery: Rethinking development, retooling global governance" (co-organized by the Inter-Parliamentary Union and the Office of the President of the General Assembly)

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. The complete programme is available at <www.ipu.org/splz-e/unga10.htm>. For further information, please contact the Office of the Permanent Observer of the Inter-Parliamentary Union (e-mail ny-office@mail.ipu.org; tel. 1 (212) 557-5880).]

DPI/NGO briefing on "Crossing boundaries: Protecting the rights of migrant women domestic workers" (in observance of International Migrants Day (18 December))

From 10.15 a.m. to 12.15 p.m. in *Conference Room 1 (NLB).*

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Debi Ou-Yang, DPI (e-mail section1d@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7709).]

Launch and public introduction of the book entitled "Proverbs in communication: A conflict resolution perspective" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Nigeria)

From 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Olamide David, Permanent Mission of Nigeria (e-mail midedavid@yahoo.com; tel. 1 (347) 595-1411).]

Panel discussion on "AIDS and disability: An emerging concern" (on the occasion of World AIDS Day (1 December) and the International Day of Persons with Disability (3 December)) (co-organized by the Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS (UNAIDS), the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA) and the United States Mission)

From 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Kelly Thompson, UNAIDS (e-mail thompsonk@unaids.org; tel. 1 (646) 666-8023).]

Round-table discussion on "Educational opportunity: Key to the future" (co-organized by the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA) and the Harvard Project on Disability)

From 3 to 5 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Akiko Ito, Secretariat for the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, DESA (e-mail ito@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-1996).]

Press conferences

The schedule below is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at <www.un.org/News/ossg/conf.htm>.

Thursday, 2 December 2010

Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium

11 a.m. . . . . Human Security Report Project, Simon Fraser University (to launch the *Human Security Report 2009/2010*) [*Participants*: Prof. Andrew Mack, Director, Human Security Report Project, Simon Fraser Univeristy; and Ms. Safia Morsly-Fikia, Permanent Mission of Canada]

12 noon . . . . . Press briefing by the Spokesperson

1 p.m. . . . . H.E. Ms. Susan E. Rice (United States), President of the Security Council for the month of December (on the programme of work of the Council for the month)

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

Main Committees

Fifth Committee

The Fifth Committee will hold informal consultations (closed) on Friday, 3 December 2010, at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

General Assembly

Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East

The Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East will meet on Tuesday, 7 December 2010, at 11 a.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations
Informal briefing

There will be an informal briefing by the Department for Peacekeeping Operations and the Department of Field Support, to members of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations, on security and force protection in United Nations Peacekeeping Operations, the use of modern technology in United Nations peacekeeping operations for surveillance and monitoring, and on risk management, on Thursday, 9 December 2010, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

General Assembly
Security Council

Peacebuilding Commission
Fourth session

Guinea-Bissau, Liberia and Sierra Leone configurations
Joint informal meeting

A joint informal meeting of the Guinea-Bissau, Liberia and Sierra Leone configurations of the Peacebuilding Commission will be held on Friday, 3 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

Economic and Social Council

Commission on the Status of Women
Informal briefing

The Chair of the Commission on the Status of Women, H.E. Mr. Garen Nazarian (Armenia), will hold an informal briefing on the preparations for the fifty-fifth session of the Commission on the Status of Women, on Monday, 6 December 2010, from 4 to 6 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB). All interested delegations, representatives of non-governmental organizations and Secretariat staff are invited to attend.

Executive Boards of the United Nations Development Programme/United Nations Population Fund and of the United Nations Children's Fund
Joint informal consultation

There will be a joint informal consultation of the Executive Boards of UNDP/UNFPA and of UNICEF on "The road map to an integrated budget: Cost classification and results-based budgeting", on Friday, 3 December 2010, from 3 to 5 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB). Interested delegations are invited to attend.

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme and of the United Nations Population Fund
Informal consultation

The Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme and of the United Nations Population Fund will hold an informal consultation on the evaluation policy of UNDP, on Friday, 10 December 2010, from 10.30 a.m. to 12 noon in Conference Room 7 (NLB). Interested delegations are invited to attend.

Forthcoming informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

General Assembly

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization of the Islamic Conference" (under agenda item 122 (s)) (convened by the delegation of Tajikistan (on behalf of the Organization of the Islamic Conference))

Friday, 3 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room B (NLB).

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Promotion of interreligious and intercultural dialogue, understanding and cooperation for peace" (under agenda item 15) (convened by the delegations of Pakistan and the Philippines)

Friday, 3 December 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB).

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations" (agenda item 69 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Sweden)

Friday, 3 December 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB).

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "The role of diamonds in fuelling conflict: Breaking the link between the illicit transaction of rough diamonds and armed conflict as a contribution to prevention and settlement of conflicts" (under agenda item 32) (convened by the delegation of Israel, as Chair of the Kimberley Process)

Monday, 6 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB); and

Tuesday, 7 December 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Permanent memorial to and remembrance of the victims of slavery and the transatlantic slave trade" (under agenda item 116) (convened by the delegation of Jamaica)

Monday, 6 December 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Humanitarian assistance, emergency relief, rehabilitation, recovery and reconstruction in response to the humanitarian emergency in Haiti, including the devastating effects of the earthquake" (under agenda item 69 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Brazil)

Tuesday, 7 December 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room B (NLB);

Thursday, 9 December 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room B (NLB); and

Friday, 10 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room B (NLB).

Other forthcoming meetings

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Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court (ninth session) (6–10 December)

Monday, 6 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

Asian Group (informal briefing on the work of the Security Council) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Japan, Lebanon and Turkey)

Tuesday, 7 December 2010, from 3 to 4.30 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

Western European and Other States Group (monthly meeting)

Tuesday, 21 December 2010, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

Forthcoming other activities

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Special events on the occasion of the International Day of Persons with Disability (3 December)

Opening ceremony to launch the commemorative activities of the International Day of Persons with Disabilities (co-organized by the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA) and the World Health Organization (WHO) and co-sponsored by the Permanent Missions of Mexico, the Philippines and the United Republic of Tanzania, and the Global Partnership for Disability and Development)

Friday, 3 December 2010, from 10 to 10.30 a.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

Interactive panel discussion on "Community-based inclusive development: The role of community-based rehabilitation in the realization of the Millennium Development Goals for persons with disabilities" (co-organized by the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA) and the World Health Organization (WHO))

Friday, 3 December 2010, from 10.30 a.m. to 12 noon in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend these events. For further information, please contact Ms. Akiko Ito, Secretariat for the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, DESA (e-mail ito@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-1996).]

Disability Film Festival (organized by the Department of Economic and Social Affairs) <www.un.org/disabilities>

Friday, 3 December 2010, from 12 noon to 4 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Fred Doulton, Secretariat for the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, DESA (e-mail doultonf@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4466).]

Seminar and workshop on community-based rehabilitation guidelines (organized by the World Health Organization (WHO))

Friday, 3 December 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Akiko Ito, Secretariat for the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, DESA (e-mail ito@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-1996).]

Commemorative event on "Food security for all generations, lessons of the past: Remembering those who perished in the Holodomor in Ukraine, 1932-33, and victims of all other artificial famines of the twentieth and twenty-first centuries" (Concert-Requiem) (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Ukraine, the World Federation of Ukrainian Women's Organizations, UNA-USA Council of Organizations and World Information Transfer)

Friday, 3 December 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Alex Shapoval, Permanent Mission of Ukraine (e-mail shapovalalex85@gmail.com; tel. 1 (212) 759-7003).]

Briefing to Member States on "IMF's conditionality" (organized by the Office of the Special Representative of the International Monetary Fund)

Monday, 6 December 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For more information, please contact Ms. Nritya Subramaniam, IMF (e-mail nsubramaniam@imf.org; tel. 1 (212) 355-6347).]

Side events on the occasion of the ninth session of the Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court (6–10 December)

International Criminal Court: Presidency/Chambers — "Reflections of a trial judge at the International Criminal Court"

Monday, 6 December 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building).

International Criminal Court: Registry — "Presentation of the outreach report and public information strategy"

Tuesday, 7 December 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building).

International Criminal Court: Office of the Prosecutor — "Preliminary examination activities"

Wednesday, 8 December 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building).

[All are invited to attend these events. For further information, please send an e-mail to liaisonofficeny@icc-cpi.int.]

Expert panel on "Fertility, reproductive health and development" (organized by the Population Division, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA))

Tuesday, 7 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Natalia Devyatkin, Population Division, DESA (e-mail devyatkin@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-3390).]

UNITAR Continued IT Education (CITE) Project — Information session

Tuesday, 7 December 2010, from 1 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB).

[For further information, please contact Mr. Evan Silberman, UNITAR (e-mail evan.silberman@unitar.org; tel. 1 (917) 512-9457).]

UNITAR/UNOG lecture series on "The impact of the financial crisis on global economic governance" (live broadcast from Geneva by video link)

Wednesday, 8 December 2010, from 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

[For further information, please contact Mr. François Richard, UNITAR (e-mail francois.richard@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196; room DC1-603). To register, please visit <www.unitar.org/ny/event_registration>.]

Panel discussion on the occasion of the International Anti-Corruption Day (9 December) (co-organized by the United Nations Global Compact Office, the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime, the United Nations Development Programme and the Ethics Office)

Thursday, 9 December 2010, from 9 to 11.30 a.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Olajobi Makinwa, United Nations Global Compact Office (e-mail makinwa@un.org); or Ms. Da Woon Chung (e-mail chungd@un.org).]

Briefing on "The impact of the International Criminal Court in Uganda" — Presentation of the report and findings from the visits of the delegates of the Assembly of States Parties (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Argentina, Botswana, Finland and South Africa, HURINET, No Peace Without Justice (NPWJ) and the Uganda Coalition on the International Criminal Court (UCICC))

Friday, 10 December 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Arto Haapea, Permanent Mission of Finland (e-mail arto.haapea@formin.fi; tel. 1 (212) 355-2100).]

UNITAR Seminar on International Trade Law and Policy

Monday, 13 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1.15 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB);

Tuesday, 14 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB);

Wednesday, 15 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB);

Thursday, 16 December 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB); and

Friday, 17 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. To register and for further information, please visit <www.unitar.org/ny>; or contact Mr. François Richard, UNITAR (e-mail francois.richard@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3021; room DC1-603).]

Pre-conference event (in preparation for the Fourth United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries, to be held in Istanbul in 2011) on the thematic area 7 — Enhancing food security through agricultural development and access to food and nutrition (co-organized by the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) and the Office of the High Representative for the Least Developed Countries, Landlocked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States (UN-OHRLLS))

Thursday, 16 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information and to register, please contact the FAO Liaison Office in New York (e-mail lon-registry@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-6036).]

Panel discussion on the occasion of the International Migrants Day and in observance of the twentieth anniversary of the adoption of the International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families (co-organized by the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR), the International Organization for Migration (IOM), the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) and the MacArthur Foundation, in cooperation with the UN-NGO Committee on Migration)

Friday, 17 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. in Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building).

[All are invited to attend. To register or for further information, please visit <www.unitar.org/ny>; or contact Mr. Pierpaolo Capalbo, UNITAR (e-mail pierpaolo.capalbo@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9684; room DC1-603).]

Forthcoming official meetings held away from Headquarters

General Assembly

Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
United Nations Office at Geneva

In accordance with the terms of General Assembly resolution 55/75 (A/RES/55/75), the Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees will convene in Geneva, on Tuesday, 7 December 2010, at 10 a.m. in Room XIX, at the Palais des Nations.

Announcements

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Signing of the Tripartite Memorandum of Understanding on the United Nations Standby Arrangements System with Argentina and Chile

H.E. Ms. Nilda Garre, Minister of Defence of Argentina, H.E. Mr. Jaime Ravinet De La Fuente, Minister of Defence of Chile, and Mr. Alain Le Roy, Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations, will sign the Tripartite Memorandum of Understanding on the United Nations Stand-by Arrangements System. The ceremony will take place on Tuesday, 7 December 2010, at 11 a.m. in the Conference Room Hédi Annabi (DC1-1588).

Responsibility of international organizations

Delegations are reminded that the deadline for the submission of comments of Governments on the draft articles on the responsibility of international organizations, as adopted by the International Law Commission, on first reading, at its sixty-first session in 2009 (General Assembly resolution 64/114 of 16 December 2009, operative para. 5 (A/RES/64/114)), is *Saturday, 1 January 2011*.

Delegations may send their comments to the Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (room M-13065; fax 1 (212) 963-1963). In addition, it would be appreciated if an electronic version of the comments could also be sent to ilcweb@un.org.

Security Council

Communications to the President of the Security Council

Communications addressed to the President of the Security Council should be delivered to the Offices of the Security Council Secretariat Branch (room 08083, 730 Third Avenue (between 45th and 46th Streets); tel. 1 (212) 963-5258).

Web site of the presidency

The Web site of the presidency of the Security Council can be visited at <www.un.org/sc/presidency.asp>.

Recorded information

Recorded information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by calling 1 (212) 963-8530, or by clicking on "Daily Programme" on the Web site of the Security Council <www.un.org/Docs/sc>.

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Delegations are kindly requested to make 40 copies for minimum distribution to Council members and relevant services, and 200 additional copies for general distribution in the Security Council Chamber.

Delegations wishing to make statements available for the media are kindly requested to deliver 50 copies to the Media Documents Centre (e-mail mdc@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7166; room SA-1B12).

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Summary of official meetings

Wednesday, 1 December 2010

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

Main Committees

Second Committee

33rd meeting

The summary of the 33rd meeting of the Second Committee will appear in the next issue of the *Journal* (No. 2010/232).

General information

Chairs of the regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *December 2010* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:

Mauritania

H.E. Mr. Abderrahim Ould Hadramiu

Asian States:
India
H.E. Mr. Hardeep Singh Puri

Eastern European States:
Montenegro
H.E. Mr. Milorad Šćepanović

Latin American and Caribbean States:
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H.E. Mr. Jorge Valero Briceño

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France
H.E. Mr. Gérard Araud

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10 a.m. . . . . 6433rd meeting (closed) . . . . . Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-and police-contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire

11 a.m. . . . . 6434th meeting (closed) . . . . . Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-and police-contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

United Nations Disengagement Observer Force

12 noon . . . . . 6435th meeting (closed) . . . . . Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-and police-contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus

General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session

There will be an informal meeting (open) of the plenary *today*, 3 December 2010, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB), to hear a briefing by the Secretary-General on the situation in Haiti. Member States are encouraged to attend at the ambassadorial level. A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 1 December 2010, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

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General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session

There will be informal "informal" consultations on the scope, modalities, format and organization of the high-level meeting on the prevention and control of non-communicable diseases on Monday, 6 December 2010, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB). A letter from the co-facilitators, dated 1 December 2010, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session

Since the programme of work of plenary meetings (A/INF/65/3) was issued, the following changes have been made:

Consideration of agenda item 69 and its sub-items (a) to (d) (Strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian and disaster relief assistance of the United Nations, including special economic assistance) has been postponed to a later date to be announced;

A specific meeting focused on development under agenda item 115 (Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit) has been postponed to a date in the resumed part to be announced;

Consideration of agenda item 117 (Implementation of the resolutions of the United Nations) and agenda item 118 (Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly), scheduled for Thursday, 2 December 2010, has been postponed to Monday, 6 December 2010;

Consideration of agenda item 32 (The role of diamonds in fuelling conflict), scheduled for Thursday, 2 December 2010, has been postponed to a later date to be announced;

Consideration of the reports of the Sixth Committee will take place on Monday, 6 December 2010, at 3 p.m.;

Consideration of the reports of the First Committee will take place on Wednesday, 8 December 2010, at 3 p.m.; and

Consideration of the reports of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) will take place on Friday, 10 December 2010, at 10 a.m.

The dates for the consideration of reports of the Second, Third and Fifth Committees will be announced in the *Journal*, as soon as they are decided.

Survey of Conference Services

The Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) invites delegations to complete the *Survey of Conference Services* to help improve the quality of its services. The survey is accessible until Monday, 13 December 2010, from the following Web sites: DGACM <www.un.org/Depts/DGACM>; General Assembly <www.un.org/ga/>; Main Committees <www.un.org/ga/maincommittees.shtml>; Committees QuickPlace; deleGATE (iSeek page for Member States) <www.un.int/wcm/content/site/portal>; and eMeets <http://emeets.un.org/dgacm/dgacmforum.nsf/surveye.html>. The Under-Secretary-General for General Assembly and Conference Management would greatly appreciate the assistance of delegations in completing the Survey.

Security Council

Informal Working Group on International Tribunals

3 p.m. Closed meeting — Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building)

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

Main Committees

Fifth Committee

10 a.m.–12 noon Informal consultations (closed) — Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Informal consultations on:

Agenda item 129 (Programme budget for the biennium 2010-2011):

Revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Human Rights Council at its twelfth, thirteenth, fourteenth and fifteenth sessions (A/65/333, A/65/333/Corr.1, A/65/333/Add.1, A/65/333/Add.1/Corr.1, A/65/548 and A/65/548/Add.1); and

Revised estimates resulting from the increase in the number of members of the Subcommittee on Prevention of Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment pursuant to article 5 of the Optional Protocol (A/65/500 and A/65/574)

12 noon–1 p.m. Informal consultations (closed) — Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Informal consultations on:

Agenda item 157 (Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan (A/65/509 and A/65/571))

3–6 p.m. Informal consultations (closed) — Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Informal consultations on:

Agenda item 136 (United Nations common system (A/65/30, A/65/493 and A/65/532)); and

Agenda item 140 (Administration of justice at the United Nations (A/65/373, A/65/373/Corr.1, A/65/303, A/65/557, A/65/304, A/C.5/65/9 and A/65/568))

General Assembly

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 10 (NLB)

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 10 (NLB)

1. UN Women — Support budget and proposed financial regulations and rules
2. Executive meeting

General Assembly
Security Council

Peacebuilding Commission
Fourth session

Guinea-Bissau, Liberia and Sierra Leone configurations
Joint informal meeting

A joint informal meeting of the Guinea-Bissau, Liberia and Sierra Leone configurations of the Peacebuilding Commission will be held *today*, 3 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

Executive Boards of the United Nations Development Programme/United Nations Population Fund and of the United Nations Children's Fund
Joint informal consultation

There will be a joint informal consultation of the Executive Boards of UNDP/UNFPA and of UNICEF on "The road map to an integrated budget: Cost classification and results-based budgeting", *today*, 3 December 2010, from 3 to 5 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB). Interested delegations are invited to attend.

Informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

Friday, 3 December 2010

General Assembly

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization of the Islamic Conference" (under agenda item 122 (s)) (convened by the delegation of Tajikistan (on behalf of the Organization of the Islamic Conference))

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room B (NLB)

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Cooperation between the United Nations and the African Union" (under agenda item 122 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Ghana (on behalf of the African Group))

1.15–2.30 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room C (NLB)

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Promotion of interreligious and intercultural dialogue, understanding and cooperation for peace" (under agenda item 15) (convened by the delegations of Pakistan and the Philippines)

1.15–2.30 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room D (NLB)

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Cooperation between the United Nations and the Council of Europe" (under agenda item 122 (h)) (convened by the delegations of The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Turkey)

3–6 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room C (NLB)

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations" (agenda item 69 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Sweden)

3–6 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room E (NLB)

Other activities

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Friday, 3 December 2010

2010 Parliamentary Hearing on "Towards economic recovery: Rethinking development, retooling global governance" (co-organized by the Inter-Parliamentary Union and the Office of the President of the General Assembly)

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. The complete programme is available at <www.ipu.org/splz-e/unga10.htm>. For further information, please contact the Office of the Permanent Observer of the Inter-Parliamentary Union (e-mail ny-office@mail.ipu.org; tel. 1 (212) 557-5880).]

Special events on the occasion of the International Day of Persons with Disability (3 December)

Opening ceremony to launch the commemorative activities of the International Day of Persons with Disabilities (co-organized by the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA) and the World Health Organization (WHO) and co-sponsored by the Permanent Missions of Mexico, the Philippines and the United Republic of Tanzania, and the Global Partnership for Disability and Development)

From 10 to 10.30 a.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

Interactive panel discussion on "Community-based inclusive development: The role of community-based rehabilitation in the realization of the Millennium Development Goals for persons with disabilities" (co-organized by the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA) and the World Health Organization (WHO))

From 10.30 a.m. to 12 noon in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend these events. For further information, please contact Ms. Akiko Ito, Secretariat for the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, DESA (e-mail ito@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-1996).]

Disability Film Festival (organized by the Department of Economic and Social Affairs) <www.un.org/disabilities>

From 12 noon to 4 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Fred Doulton, Secretariat for the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, DESA (e-mail doultonf@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4466).]

Seminar and workshop on community-based rehabilitation guidelines (organized by the World Health Organization (WHO))

From 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Akiko Ito, Secretariat for the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, DESA (e-mail ito@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-1996).]

Commemorative event on "Food security for all generations, lessons of the past: Remembering those who perished in the Holodomor in Ukraine, 1932-33, and victims of all other artificial famines of the twentieth and twenty-first centuries" (Concert-Requiem) (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Ukraine, the World Federation of Ukrainian Women's Organizations, UNA-USA Council of Organizations and World Information Transfer)

From 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Alex Shapoval, Permanent Mission of Ukraine (e-mail shapovalalex85@gmail.com; tel. 1 (212) 759-7003).]

Press conferences

The schedule below is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at <www.un.org/News/ossg/conf.htm>.

Friday, 3 December 2010

Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium

12 noon — Press briefing by the Spokesperson

1.15 p.m. — H.E. Mr. Joseph Deiss (Switzerland), President of the General Assembly; and H.E. Mr. Theo-Ben Gurirab, President of the Inter-Parliamentary Union (on the Parliamentary Hearing on "Towards economic recovery: Rethinking development, retooling global governance", co-organized by the Inter-Parliamentary Union and the Office of the President of the General Assembly)

Forthcoming official meetings

Monday, 6 December 2010

General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session

10 a.m. — 56th plenary meeting . . . General Assembly Hall

Implementation of the resolutions of the United Nations ; and Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly . . . [117 and 118]

Joint debate

3 p.m. — 57th plenary meeting . . . General Assembly Hall

1. Responsibility of States for internationally wrongful acts: report of the Sixth Committee (A/65/463) . . . [75]
2. Criminal accountability of United Nations officials and experts on mission: report of the Sixth Committee (A/65/464) . . . [76]
3. Report of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law on the work of its forty-third session: report of the Sixth Committee (A/65/465) . . . [77]
4. United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law: report of the Sixth Committee (A/65/466) [78]
5. Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its sixty-second session: report of the Sixth Committee (A/65/467) . . . [79]

6. Diplomatic protection: report of the Sixth Committee (A/65/468) . . . . . [80]
7. Consideration of prevention of transboundary harm from hazardous activities and allocation of loss in the case of such harm: report of the Sixth Committee (A/65/469) [81]
8. Status of the Protocols Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 1949 and relating to the protection of victims of armed conflicts: report of the Sixth Committee (A/65/470) [82]
9. Consideration of effective measures to enhance the protection, security and safety of diplomatic and consular missions and representatives: report of the Sixth Committee (A/65/471) . . . . . [83]
10. Report of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization: report of the Sixth Committee (A/65/472) . . . . . [84]
11. The rule of law at the national and international levels: report of the Sixth Committee (A/65/473) . . . . . [85]
12. The scope and application of the principle of universal jurisdiction: report of the Sixth Committee (A/65/474) . . . . . [86]
13. Measures to eliminate international terrorism: report of the Sixth Committee (A/65/475) [107]
14. Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly: report of the Sixth Committee (A/65/476) . . . . . [118]
15. Programme planning: report of the Sixth Committee (A/65/477) . . . . . [130]
16. Administration of justice at the United Nations: report of the Sixth Committee (A/65/478) . . . . . [140]
17. Report of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country: report of the Sixth Committee (A/65/479) . . . . . [161]
18. Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms: report of the Third Committee (A/65/456/Add.2 (Part I))[1] . . . . . [68 (b)]

[1]To be issued.

Main Committees

Fifth Committee

The Fifth Committee will hold its 20th meeting on Monday, 6 December 2010, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB). Informal consultations (closed) will be held following the adjournment of the 20th meeting, and at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

General Assembly

Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East

The Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East will meet on Tuesday, 7 December 2010, at 11 a.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB). Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list of speakers are kindly requested to notify Ms. Cassandra Price (e-mail pricec@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-1523; room IN-606B).

Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations

Informal briefing

There will be an informal briefing by the Department for Peacekeeping Operations and the Department of Field Support, to members of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations, on security and force protection in United Nations Peacekeeping Operations, the use of modern technology in United Nations peacekeeping operations for surveillance and monitoring, and on risk management, on Thursday, 9 December 2010, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

Economic and Social Council

Informal "informal" consultations

Informal "informal" consultations, convened by the presidency of the Economic and Social Council (Malaysia) and facilitated by Mr. Zahid Rastam, on the draft decision contained in the report of the Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights on its forty-second and forty-third sessions (E/2010/22), will take place on Tuesday, 7 December, from 10 to 11.30 a.m. in the Office of the President of the Economic and Social Council (NLB).

Commission on the Status of Women

Informal briefing

The Chair of the Commission on the Status of Women, H.E. Mr. Garen Nazarian (Armenia), will hold an informal briefing on the preparations for the fifty-fifth session of the Commission on the Status of Women, on Monday, 6 December 2010, from 4 to 6 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB). All interested delegations, representatives of non-governmental organizations and Secretariat staff are invited to attend.

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme and of the United Nations Population Fund

Informal consultation

The Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme and of the United Nations Population Fund will hold an informal consultation on the evaluation policy of UNDP, on Friday, 10 December 2010, from 10.30 a.m. to 12 noon in Conference Room 7 (NLB). Interested delegations are invited to attend.

Forthcoming informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

General Assembly

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Emergency assistance to Haiti, Saint Lucia and Saint Vincent and the Grenadines and other countries affected by hurricane Tomas" (under agenda item 69) (convened by the delegation of Saint Lucia)

Monday, 6 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon in Conference Room B (NLB).

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "The role of diamonds in fuelling conflict: Breaking the link between the illicit transaction of rough diamonds and armed conflict as a contribution to prevention and settlement of conflicts" (under agenda item 32) (convened by the delegation of Israel, as Chair of the Kimberley Process)

Monday, 6 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB); and

Tuesday, 7 December 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

Informal consultation on the draft resolution entitled "International cooperation on humanitarian assistance in the field of natural disasters, from relief to development" (under agenda item 69 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Colombia)

Monday, 6 December 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB);

Wednesday, 8 December 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room B (NLB); and

Friday, 10 December 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room B (NLB).

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Permanent memorial to and remembrance of the victims of slavery and the transatlantic slave trade" (under agenda item 116) (convened by the delegation of Jamaica)

Monday, 6 December 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Humanitarian assistance, emergency relief, rehabilitation, recovery and reconstruction in response to the humanitarian emergency in Haiti, including the devastating effects of the earthquake" (under agenda item 69 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Brazil)

Tuesday, 7 December 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room B (NLB);

Thursday, 9 December 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room B (NLB); and

Friday, 10 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room B (NLB).

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization on Security and Cooperation in Europe" (under agenda item 122 (q)) (convened by the delegation of Kazakhstan)

Wednesday, 8 December 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB);

Thursday, 9 December 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB); and

Friday, 10 December 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB).

Other forthcoming meetings

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Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court (ninth session) (6–10 December)

Monday, 6 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

Asian Group (informal briefing on the work of the Security Council) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Japan, Lebanon and Turkey)

Tuesday, 7 December 2010, from 3 to 4.30 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

Arab Group (at the ambassadorial level)

Friday, 10 December 2010, from 10 to 11 a.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

Eastern European States Group (at the expert level)

Tuesday, 14 December 2010, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

Western European and Other States Group (monthly meeting)

Tuesday, 21 December 2010, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

Forthcoming other activities

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Briefing to Member States on "IMF's conditionality" (organized by the Office of the Special Representative of the International Monetary Fund)

Monday, 6 December 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For more information, please contact Ms. Nritya Subramaniam, IMF (e-mail nsubramaniam@imf.org; tel. 1 (212) 355-6347).]

Side events on the occasion of the ninth session of the Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court (6–10 December)

International Criminal Court: Presidency/Chambers — "Reflections of a trial judge at the International Criminal Court"

Monday, 6 December 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building).

International Criminal Court: Registry — "Presentation of the outreach report and public information strategy"

Tuesday, 7 December 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building).

International Criminal Court: Office of the Prosecutor — "Preliminary examination activities"

Wednesday, 8 December 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building).

[All are invited to attend these events. For further information, please send an e-mail to liaisonofficeny@icc-cpi.int.]

Expert panel on "Fertility, reproductive health and development" (organized by the Population Division, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA))

Tuesday, 7 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Natalia Devyatkin, Population Division, DESA (e-mail devyatkin@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-3390).]

Women's International Forum: Meeting on "Romance and reality in humanitarian action" (sponsored by the Executive Office of the Secretary-General)

Tuesday, 7 December 2010, from 11 a.m. to 12.15 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

[Delegates and Secretariat staff are invited to attend.]

UNITAR Continued IT Education (CITE) Project — Information session

Tuesday, 7 December 2010, from 1 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB).

[For further information, please contact Mr. Evan Silberman, UNITAR (e-mail evan.silberman@unitar.org; tel. 1 (917) 512-9457).]

Policy Group of Justice Rapid Response (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Belgium and Canada)

Tuesday, 7 December 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Andras Vamos-Goldman, Permanent Mission of Canada (e-mail chair@justicerapidresponse.org; tel. 1 (212) 980-0193).]

Briefing on "A survey addressed to least developed countries on international support measures related to official development assistance for LDCs" (organized by the secretariat of the Committee for Development Policy)

Tuesday, 7 December 2010, from 1.30 to 3 p.m., in the Department of Economic and Social Affairs Conference Room (23rd Floor, DC-2 Building).

[The briefing is open to LDC delegations. For further information, please contact Mr. Roland Mollerus, CDP secretariat (e-mail mollerus@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4752).]

UNITAR/UNOG lecture series on "The impact of the financial crisis on global economic governance" (live broadcast from Geneva by video link)

Wednesday, 8 December 2010, from 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

[For further information, please contact Mr. François Richard, UNITAR (e-mail francois.richard@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196; room DC1-603). To register, please visit <www.unitar.org/ny/event_registration>.]

Panel discussion on the occasion of the International Anti-Corruption Day (9 December) (co-organized by the United Nations Global Compact Office, the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime, the United Nations Development Programme and the Ethics Office)

Thursday, 9 December 2010, from 9 to 11.30 a.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Olajobi Makinwa, United Nations Global Compact Office (e-mail makinwa@un.org); or Ms. Da Woon Chung (e-mail chungd@un.org).]

UNU lecture on "Reforming the international monetary and financial architecture" (organized by the United Nations University Office in New York (UNU-ONY))

Thursday, 9 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

UNU midday forum on "The new dynamics of multilateralism" (organized by the United Nations University Office in New York (UNU-ONY))

Thursday, 9 December 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room B (NLB).

[All are invited to attend these events. For further information, please visit <www.ony.unu.edu>; or contact Mr. Francis Lowe, UNU-ONY (e-mail lowe@unu.edu; tel. 1 (212) 963-6387).]

Opening ceremony to launch the International Year of People of African Descent (convened by the Secretary-General)

Friday, 10 December 2010, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please Ms. Laila Bourhil, New York Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (e-mail bourhil@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-0646).]

Briefing on "The impact of the International Criminal Court in Uganda" — Presentation of the report and findings from the visits of the delegates of the Assembly of States Parties (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Argentina, Botswana, Finland and South Africa, HURINET, No Peace Without Justice (NPWJ) and the Uganda Coalition on the International Criminal Court (UCICC))

Friday, 10 December 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Arto Haapea, Permanent Mission of Finland (e-mail arto.haapea@formin.fi; tel. 1 (212) 355-2100).]

UNITAR Seminar on International Trade Law and Policy

Monday, 13 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1.15 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB);

Tuesday, 14 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB);

Wednesday, 15 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB);

Thursday, 16 December 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB); and

Friday, 17 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. To register and for further information, please visit <www.unitar.org/ny>; or contact Mr. François Richard, UNITAR (e-mail francois.richard@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3021; room DC1-603).]

Pre-conference event (in preparation for the Fourth United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries, to be held in Istanbul in 2011) on the thematic area 7 — Enhancing food security through agricultural development and access to food and nutrition (co-organized by the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) and the Office of the High Representative for the Least Developed Countries, Landlocked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States (UN-OHRLLS))

Thursday, 16 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information and to register, please contact the FAO Liaison Office in New York (e-mail lon-registry@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-6036).]

Panel discussion on the occasion of the International Migrants Day and in observance of the twentieth anniversary of the adoption of the International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families (co-organized by the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR), the International Organization for Migration (IOM), the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) and the MacArthur Foundation, in cooperation with the UN-NGO Committee on Migration)

Friday, 17 December 2010, from 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. in Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building).

[All are invited to attend. To register or for further information, please visit <www.unitar.org/ny>; or contact Mr. Pierpaolo Capalbo, UNITAR (e-mail pierpaolo.capalbo@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9684; room DC1-603).]

Forthcoming official meetings held away from Headquarters

General Assembly

Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
United Nations Office at Geneva

In accordance with the terms of General Assembly resolution 55/75 (A/RES/55/75), the Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees will convene in Geneva, on Tuesday, 7 December 2010, at 10 a.m. in Room XIX, at the Palais des Nations.

Announcements

E-Subscription: *Let UN documents come to you* <http://undocs.org/>

The Department for General Assembly Affairs and Conference Management has added an alternate way to access United Nations parliamentary documents in a manner that is easy and fast. Through the e-Subscription programme based on RSS (which stands for Really Simple Syndication), the latest documents issued at Headquarters can be accessed readily. It widens the choice for users to receive parliamentary documents and the *Journal of the United Nations* through their computer or hand-held device. The RSS gathers all the documents the user has subscribed to in one place as soon as they are published. Sign-up is free and easy by visiting the e-Subscription page <http://undocs.org/>. An overview of all documents with the options "e-mail" or "RSS" next to each document category is located there, along with a user-friendly technical guide. After sign-up, e-mails will be sent to the subscriber as soon as documents become available. Comments, questions and suggestions are invited to be sent to help-desk@un.org.

Signing of the Tripartite Memorandum of Understanding on the United Nations Standby Arrangements System with Argentina and Chile

H.E. Ms. Nilda Garre, Minister of Defence of Argentina, H.E. Mr. Jaime Ravinet De La Fuente, Minister of Defence of Chile, and Mr. Alain Le Roy, Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations, will sign the Tripartite Memorandum of Understanding on the United Nations Stand-by Arrangements System. The ceremony will take place on Tuesday, 7 December 2010, at 11 a.m. in the Conference Room Hédi Annabi (DC1-1588).

Responsibility of international organizations

Delegations are reminded that the deadline for the submission of comments of Governments on the draft articles on the responsibility of international organizations, as adopted by the International Law Commission, on first reading, at its sixty-first session in 2009 (General Assembly resolution 64/114 of 16 December 2009, operative para. 5 (A/RES/64/114)), is *Saturday, 1 January 2011*.

Delegations may send their comments to the Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (room M-13065; fax 1 (212) 963-1963). In addition, it would be appreciated if an electronic version of the comments could also be sent to ilcweb@un.org.

Security Council

Communications to the President of the Security Council

Communications addressed to the President of the Security Council should be delivered to the Offices of the Security Council Secretariat Branch (room 08083, 730 Third Avenue (between 45th and 46th Streets); tel. 1 (212) 963-5258).

Web site of the presidency

The Web site of the presidency of the Security Council can be visited at <www.un.org/sc/presidency.asp>.

Recorded information

Recorded information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by calling 1 (212) 963-8530, or by clicking on "Daily Programme" on the Web site of the Security Council <www.un.org/Docs/sc>.

Prepared statements

Speakers in the Security Council are advised that providing in advance copies of prepared statements which they intend to read out in the Council greatly facilitates the work of the Secretariat by permitting a sufficient number of copies to be distributed to all meeting participants and by assisting interpreters, verbatim reporters and press officers in maintaining the quality of the product delivered. Both interpretations and verbatim records rely upon the statement actually delivered, but copies of texts help interpreters to correctly render details and nuances and help verbatim reporters to produce the written record more quickly. Speakers are therefore encouraged, whenever possible, to provide copies of their statements, as early as possible in advance of delivery, to the Conference Officer in the Chamber.

Delegations are kindly requested to make 40 copies for minimum distribution to Council members and relevant services, and 200 additional copies for general distribution in the Security Council Chamber.

Delegations wishing to make statements available for the media are kindly requested to deliver 50 copies to the Media Documents Centre (e-mail mdc@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7166; room SA-1B12).

Access to back issues of the *Journal of the United Nations*

Back issues of the *Journal of the United Nations*, in English and French, can be accessed at the following addresses: <www.un.org/en/documents/journal.asp> and <www.un.org/fr/documents/journal.asp>.

All comments and suggestions about the *Journal* are welcomed. Kindly contact the office of the *Journal* at journal@un.org.

Summary of official meetings

Wednesday, 1 December 2010

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

Main Committees

Second Committee

33rd meeting

Sustainable development . . . . . [20]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item.

Action on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.32/Rev.1

The Secretary of the Committee read out a statement of programme budget implications in connection with the draft resolution.

The Secretary also announced that Croatia, Georgia, Iceland, Norway, the Republic of Moldova and The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia were co-sponsors of the revised draft resolution. Subsequently, Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Iraq, Montenegro and Serbia joined in sponsoring the revised draft resolution.

The Committee then adopted the revised draft resolution.

Following the adoption of the draft resolution, a statement was made by the representative of Lithuania.

A statement was also made by the Vice-Chair (Hungary).

(a) Implementation of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

Action on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.24/Rev.1

The Committee was informed that the revised draft resolution contained no programme budget implications.

A statement was made by the representative of Panama, in the course of which the following countries were announced as sponsors of the draft resolution: Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liberia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, Morocco, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Thailand, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and United States of America. Subsequently, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Micronesia (Federated States of), Montenegro, the Republic of Moldova, Serbia and the United Republic of Tanzania also joined in sponsoring the revised draft resolution.

The Committee then adopted the revised draft resolution.

Following the adoption of the draft resolution, a statement was made by the representative of the Plurinational State of Bolivia.

Action on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.25/Rev.1

The Committee was informed that the revised draft resolution contained no programme budget implications.

A statement was made by the representative of Tajikistan, in the course of which the following countries were announced as sponsors of the draft resolution: Australia, Armenia, Chile, Honduras, Iraq, Nepal, Russian Federation and Thailand. Subsequently, Bolivia (Plurinational State of), Costa Rica and Mongolia also joined in sponsoring the revised draft resolution.

A statement was made by the representative of Uzbekistan.

The Committee then adopted the revised draft resolution.

Following the adoption of the draft resolution, statements were made by the representatives of Tajikistan and Belgium (on behalf of the European Union).

A statement was made by the representative of Cuba with regard to corrections to the Spanish text of the draft resolution.

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/65/L.18 and A/C.2/65/L.52 and a statement of programme budget implications of A/C.2/65/L.52 contained in document A/C.2/65/L.66

The Secretary of the Committee read out a statement of programme budget implications in connection with draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.52.

A statement was made by the Chair indicating that, in light of the oral statement read out by the Secretary, the statement of programme budget implications contained in document A/C.2/65/L.66 was withdrawn.

The Committee then adopted draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.52.

Following the adoption of the draft resolution, a statement was made by the Vice-Chair (Hungary).

A statement was also made by the representative of Yemen (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China).

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.52, draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.18 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of sub-item 20 (a).

(e) Implementation of the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification in Those Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or Desertification, Particularly in Africa

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/65/L.21 and A/C.2/65/L.65 and a statement on programme budget implications of A/C.2/65/L.21 contained in document A/C.2/65/L.62

The Committee agreed to the proposal of the Chair to waive the relevant provision of rule 120 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly and proceeded to take action on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.65.

The Secretary of the Committee read out a statement of programme budget implications in connection with the draft resolution.

The Vice-Chair (Hungary) orally corrected the draft resolution.

The Committee then adopted the draft resolution, as orally corrected.

After the adoption of the draft resolution, a statement was made by the Vice-Chair (Hungary).

Statements were also made by the representatives of Yemen (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China) and Belgium (on behalf of the European Union).

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.65, draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.21 was withdrawn by its sponsors, together with the statement on programme budget implications of A/C.2/65/L.21 contained in document A/C.2/65/L.62.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of sub-item 20 (e).

(f) Convention on Biological Diversity

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/65/L.39 and A/C.2/65/L.67

The Committee agreed to the proposal of the Chair to waive the relevant provision of rule 120 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly and proceeded to take action on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.67.

The Committee was informed that the draft resolution contained no programme budget implications.

The Vice-Chair (Hungary) orally corrected the draft resolution.

Statements were also made by the representatives of France and Colombia with regard to corrections to the French and Spanish texts, respectively, of the draft resolution.

The Committee then adopted the draft resolution, as orally corrected.

Following the adoption of the draft resolution, a statement was made by the Vice-Chair (Hungary).

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.67, draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.39 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of sub-item 20 (f).

(g) Report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Environment Programme on its eleventh special session

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/65/L.43 and A/C.2/65/L.71

The Committee was informed that the draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.71 contained no programme budget implications.

The Vice-Chair (Hungary) orally corrected the draft resolution.

Statements were also made by the representatives of France and Mexico with regard to corrections to the French and Spanish texts, respectively, of the draft resolution.

The Committee then adopted the draft resolution, as orally corrected.

After the adoption of the draft resolution, a statement was made by the Vice-Chair (Hungary).

Statements were also made by the representatives of Belgium (on behalf of the European Union), the United States, Switzerland and Gabon.

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.71, draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.43 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of sub-item 20 (g).

(i) Harmony with Nature

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

Action on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.30/Rev.1

An informal paper, in English only, containing the entire text of the revised draft resolution reflecting the correct version of the preambular paragraphs, was circulated in the room.

The Secretary read out an oral correction to the revised draft resolution.

A statement was made by the representative of the Plurinational State of Bolivia, in the course of which he announced that Eritrea, Iran (Islamic Republic of) and Peru had joined in sponsoring the revised draft resolution. Subsequently, Algeria, Mexico, Micronesia (Federated States of), Saint Lucia, Serbia, Solomon Islands and Sri Lanka also joined in sponsoring the revised draft resolution.

The Secretary read out a statement of programme budget implications in connection with the revised draft resolution.

Statements were made by the representatives of Ukraine and the Plurinational State of Bolivia.

The Committee then adopted the revised draft resolution, as orally corrected.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of sub-item 20 (i) and agenda item 20 as a whole.

Globalization and interdependence [22]

(a) Role of the United Nations in promoting development in the context of globalization and interdependence

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

Action on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.15/Rev.1

The Committee agreed to the proposal of the Chair to waive rule 120 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly and proceeded to act on the draft resolution.

The Committee was informed that the draft resolution contained no programme budget implications.

The Secretary of the Committee made an oral correction to the draft resolution.

A statement was made by the representative of France with regard to the French translation of the text.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution, as orally corrected.

After the adoption of the draft resolution, a statement was made by the Vice-Chair (Haiti).

Oral decision

On the proposal of the Chair, the Committee decided to take note of the report of the Secretary-General contained in document A/65/272.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of sub-item 22 (a).

(b) Preventing and combating corrupt practices and transfer of assets of illicit origin and returning such assets, in particular to the countries of origin, consistent with the United Nations Convention against Corruption

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

*Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/65/L.12 and A/C.2/65/L.68**

The Committee agreed to the proposal of the Chair to waive rule 120 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly and proceeded to act on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.68*.

The Committee was informed that the draft resolution contained no programme budget implications.

The Vice-Chair (Haiti) made an oral correction to the draft resolution.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution, as orally corrected.

After the adoption of the draft resolution, a statement was made by the Vice-Chair (Haiti).

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.68*, draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.12 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of sub-item 22 (b).

(c) International migration and development

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/65/L.23 and A/C.2/65/L.69

The Committee agreed to the proposal of the Chair to waive rule 120 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly and proceeded to act on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.69.

The Committee was informed that the draft resolution contained no programme budget implications.

The Vice-Chair (Haiti) made an oral correction to the draft resolution.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution, as orally corrected.

After the adoption of the draft resolution, a statement was made by the Vice-Chair (Haiti).

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.69, draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.23 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of sub-item 22 (c) and agenda item 22 as a whole.

Eradication of poverty and other development issues . . . . . [24]

(a) Implementation of the Second United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (2008–2017)

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/65/L.38 and A/C.2/65/L.64

The Committee was informed that draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.64 contained no programme budget implications.

The Rapporteur (Democratic Republic of the Congo) made oral corrections to draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.64.

The representative of Tunisia made oral corrections to the French and Arabic texts of draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.64.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution, as orally corrected.

After the adoption of the draft resolution, the Rapporteur (Democratic Republic of the Congo) made a statement.

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.64, draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.38 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

Oral decision

On the proposal of the Chair, the Committee decided to take note of the report of the Secretary-General contained in document A/65/267.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of sub-item 24 (a).

(b) Industrial development cooperation

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/65/L.11 and A/C.2/65/L.45/Rev.1

The Committee was informed that draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.45/Rev.1 contained no programme budget implications.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.45/Rev.1.

After the adoption of the draft resolution, a statement was made by the Rapporteur (Democratic Republic of the Congo).

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.45/Rev.1, draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.11 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of sub-item 24 (b) and agenda item 24 as a whole.

Agriculture development and food security . . . . . [26]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item.

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/65/L.29 and A/C.2/65/L.61

The Committee was informed that draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.61 contained no programme budget implications.

The Vice-Chair (Finland) made oral corrections to draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.61.

The representative of France made oral corrections to the French text of draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.61.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.61, as orally corrected.

After the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.61, a statement was made by the Vice-Chair (Finland).

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.61, draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.29 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 26.

Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly . . . . . [118]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item.

Action on the draft programme of work of the Second Committee for the sixty-sixth session of the General Assembly contained in document A/C.2/65/L.72

The Committee adopted its draft programme of work for the sixty-sixth session of the General Assembly.

Draft decision entitled "Improving the working methods of the Second Committee"

A statement was made by the Chair (Mongolia).

The Committee was informed that the draft decision contained no programme budget implications.

The Committee adopted the draft decision in an unedited English version only.

After the adoption of the draft decision, a statement was made by the representative of Belgium (on behalf of the European Union; the candidate countries Turkey, Croatia, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Iceland; the countries of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidates Albania, Montenegro and Serbia; as well as Ukraine, the Republic of Moldova and Georgia).

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the item.

Programme planning . . . . . [130]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

The Committee decided that no action was required under the item.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the item.

Conclusion of the work of the Second Committee

A statement was made by the Chair (Mongolia).

A statement was made by the representative of Yemen (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China).

The Committee thus completed its work for the main part of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly.

Thursday, 2 December 2010

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

Main Committees

Fifth Committee

19th meeting

Financing of the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti . . . . . [153]

The Committee began its consideration of this agenda item.

The Assistant Secretary-General, Controller, introduced the report of the Secretary-General on the budget for the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti for the period from 1 July 2010 to 30 June 2011 (A/65/535).

The Chair of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions introduced the related report of that Committee (A/65/586).

Statements were made by the representatives of Chile (on behalf of the Rio Group), Canada (also on behalf of Australia and New Zealand), Cuba, Brazil, Haiti and Morocco.

The Committee thus concluded its general discussion of this agenda item.

The Chair informed the Committee that informal consultations on this agenda item would begin on that day, Thursday, 2 December, following the adjournment of the formal meeting, in Conference Room 5 (NLB), and would be coordinated by Mr. George Orina (Kenya).

Programme budget for the biennium 2010-2011 . . . . . [129]

Revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Human Rights Council at its twelfth, thirteenth, fourteenth and fifteenth sessions

The Director of the Programme Planning and Budget Division introduced the reports of the Secretary-General (A/65/333, A/65/333/Corr.1, A/65/333/Add.1 and A/65/333/Add.1/Corr.1).

The Chair of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions introduced the related reports of that Committee (A/65/548 and A/65/548/Add.1).

In the absence of speakers, the Committee thus concluded its general discussion on this question.

The Chair informed the Committee that informal consultations on this question would be coordinated by Mr. Muhammad Irfan Soomro (Pakistan), Vice-Chair of the Committee.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General

International Tropical Timber Agreement, 2006. Geneva, 27 January 2006

Acceptance: Congo (2 December 2010)[1]

Convention on the Law of the Non-Navigational Uses of International Watercourses. New York, 21 May 1997

Accession: Greece (2 December 2010)[1]

[1]Date of receipt of the relevant documents.

General information

Chairs of the regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *December 2010* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:
Mauritania
H.E. Mr. Abderrahim Ould Hadramiu

Asian States:
India
H.E. Mr. Hardeep Singh Puri

Eastern European States:
Montenegro
H.E. Mr. Milorad Šćepanović

Latin American and Caribbean States:
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